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September 13, 1967

Harrison Duck Club Mr. Madison O. Willmore 2559 South 15th East Salt Lake City, Utah 84106

Rudy Reclamation & Sportsman's Club Mr. Dee F. Anderson 437 South Main Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84101

North Point Fur & Reclamation Mr. Duane O. Wright, President 1405 East 4500 South Salt Lake City, Utah 84117

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RE: Distribution Meeting Huested Dam Regulation

## Gentlemen:

As per the letter request dated August 29, 1967, of Mr. Wilford M. Burton, attorney for Rudy Reclamation & Sportsman's Club, a meeting regarding the regulation of the Huested Dam diversion on the Surplus Canal was conducted by the Division of Water Rights, September 5, 1967.

The Harrison Duck Club, Rudy Reclemation & Sportsman Club, North Point Fur & Reclamation, and the Lower Jordan River Commissioner were requested by telephone to be present, and each stated they would be represented.

Enclosed is a record of attendance at the meeting and notes of the proceedings.

Mr. Donald Norseth, Distribution Division Engineer for the State Engineer, conducted the meeting and concluded that the need exists for the Lower Jordan River Commissioner, Paul Maucher, in consultation with the presidents of the two organizations, to now regulate the diversion structure at the Huested Dam with consideration to be given to the agreement between Rudy Reclamation and Sportsman's Club and the Harrison Reclamation Company, dated October 19, 1949. Those present agreed to this.

Although Thomas E. Jeremy was not requested to be at the meeting, it appeared from the information stated in the meeting that he should have been invited. Mr. Jeremy is involved to the extent that his land is flooded in part because of the use of the Huested Dam structure. Apparently, an agreement exists between Mr. Jeremy and the Harrison Reclamation Company, owner of the Huested Dam structure, relative to the flooding of the Jeremy land.

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Subsequent to the meeting, Mr. Madison O. Willmore, president of the Harrison Reclamation Company, was contacted by telephone and is agreeable to the Lower Jordan River Commissioner regulating the Huested Dam diversion upon consultation with him and Mr. Dee Anderson. Mr. Willmore has agreed to furnish this office a copy of the existing agreement between his organization and Mr. Thomas E. Jeremy. This agreement will be considered by the river commissioner in regulating the Huested Dam Diversion.

Sincerely,

S. Bryce/Montgomery

Area Engineer

## SBM: VP

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Uteh Gum Club Mr. W. Hughes Brockbank Magic Chemical 307 Virginia Street Salt Lake City, Utah

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Paul Msucher Lower Jordan River Commissioner Selt Air, Utah NOTES OF DISTRIBUTION MEETING ON LOWER JORDAN RIVER---HUESTED DAM ON SURPLUS CANAL 2:00 p.m., September 5, 1967, Water Conference Room, State Capitol Building

## ATTENDANCE

John Crus, Secretary
Duane O. Write, President
Dee F. Anderson, President
Wilford M. Burton, Attorney
Paul E. Maucher
Donald Norseth
S. Bryce Montgomery
Frank Reese

North Point Fur & Reclamation
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Rudy Reclamation & Sportsman's Club
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Commissioner, Lower Jordan River
Distribution Division Engineer, State Engineer
Area Engineer, State Engineer
Controller, State Engineer

Mr. Wilford Burton and Mr. Dee Anderson furnished a copy of the existing agreement between Rudy Reclamation & Sportsman's Club and Harrison Reclamation Company regarding the regulation of water by the Huested Dam Diversion and a brief history of the dam development. This agreement was made October 19, 1949. It was clarified that the Harrison Reclamation Company built the Huested Dam to obtain their claimed right of 10 percent of the flow of the waters of the Surplus Canal with a maximum of 10 second-feet. It was agreed between these organizations that this water was to be diverted by Harrison Reclamation Company only during the period of August 15 to December 31 in each and every year. The remainder of the water was to be allowed to pass on through the dam down the natural channel. Only the presidents of the two organizations were to determine the regulation of the diversion works of said dam, and in case of disagreement the State Engineer is to be brought into the decision of regulation.

Mr. Donald Morseth sketched a map of the Huested Dam area and summarized regulation problems of the past on the Lower Jordan River and Surplus Canal.

Mr. Dee Anderson clarified that at times when the planks are in the Huested Dam, land to the south belonging to Thomas E. Jeremy is flooded.

Mr. Duane O. Wright stated that they had experienced no distribution problems among the users below the Huested Dam.

Mr. Anderson, Mr. Burton, and Mr. Wright complained of unknown persons regulating the diversion works at the Huested Dam at their pleasure which has caused troubles of water use below the dam. They requested that one person under the State Engineer regulate the diversion works.

The question was asked if the water flowing to the Harrison Reclamation Company could be measured, and Mr. Paul Maucher stated there was not a device presently installed to do this. A current meter would have to be used.

Donald Norseth directed Paul Maucher, Commissioner, to now regulate the water at the Huested Dam after consultation with Mr. Write and Mr. Anderson and after, also, considering the existing agreement between Thomas E. Jeremy and Harrison Reclamation Company.